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Wood River/Amoco Oil Company Main Office
Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP)
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The Amoco Oil Company Main Office-WWTP site in Wood River, Illinois is a small area where Amoco had previously disposed of leaded tank bottoms from 1951-1980. The small tank farm where the disposal occurred is referred to as the Korea Tank Farm, which is located between the WWTP and an office building, both of which were formerly owned by Amoco.

In May 1981, the Amoco Refinery (adjacent to site) ceased operations. The Main Office-WWTP was operating under RCRA Part A Interim Status. On October 24, 1984, the site was certified closed by the IEPA, and the WWTP was donated to the City of Wood River.

Even though the soils surrounding the Korea Tank Farm are contaminated with lead, it is present U.S. EPA policy not to score this site by the Hazard Ranking System (HRS) because of the previously mentioned RCRA implications.

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